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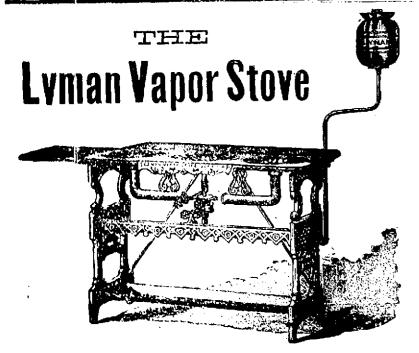
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Planked Shace In ante-bellum days, at this season or the year, when there was a long session, a party went down the Potomac every Saturday on the steamboat Salem to eat planked shad. It was chiefly composed of Senators and Representa-tives, with a few leading officials, some prominent citizens, and three or four newspaper men, who in those days never violated the amenities of social life by printing what they heard there. An importing house in Georgetown would send on board the steamer large demisend on board the steamer large demi-joins filled with the best wines and li-quors, which almost everybody drank without stint. Going down the river there was a good deal of card-playing in the upper saloon of the boat, with some story-telling on the hurricane deck. Arriving at the White House finishing grounds, some would go on shore, some would watch the drawing of the seine from the boat, some would take charge of the culinwould take charge of the ary department, and a few remain at the card tables. The oaken planks used were about two inches thick, fourteen inches wide, and two feet long. These were scalded and wiped dry. A freshly-caught shad was then taken, scaled, split open down the back, cleaned, washed and dried. It was then spread out on a plank and nailed to it with iron pump tacks. The plank with the fish on it was then set against a stone at an angle of forty-five degrees before a hot wood fire, and baked until it was a rich dark brown color, an attendant, turning the plank every few moments and basting the fish with a thin mixture of melted butter and flour. Moanwhile an experienced cook was frying fresh shad roe in a mixture of eggs and cracker-dust at another fire, where sweet and Irish potatoes were being reasted in the ashes. On one occasion Mr. Webster, who had some codfish sent him in ice on a Government steamer from Boston, carried them down on a shad-bake, with a large kettle, some pork, some ship biscuit, some milk, and some onions, and had a chowder made by a couple of us who were from Massachusetts. He was very particular in baving the pork first cut into dice, fried, and then taken out with a screen. The melted pork remained in the kettle, and in it were placed successive layers

of fish, crackers, onions and potatoes, until the kettle was two-thirds full. whon we poured in a generous quantity, of milk: I regret to say that the chow-der was slightly burnt and was not a success, although Mr. Webster persisted in calling it excellent, and ate several platefuls. The planked shad, meanwhile, were served on the planks on son having a plank and picking out what portions he liked best, breaking

up his roast potatoe on the warm shad, while the roe was also served to those who wished for it. After the fish came punch and eigers, and then they re-em-barked and the bows of the steamer were turned toward Washington. When opposite Alexandria an account was taken of the liquor and wine which had been drank, and an assessment was levfed, which generally amounted to about \$2 each. I never saw a person intoxicated at one of these shad-bakes, nor heard any quarreling. The festivity at one of them was marred by the accidental falling overboard of a young man PHILADELPHI

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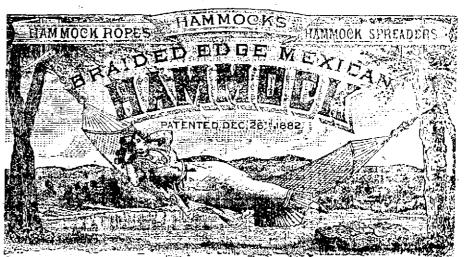
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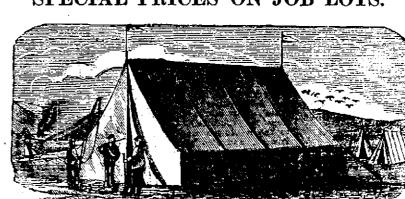
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Tim great problem at Chicago this week will be not so much to determine who the Democratic candidates shall be, but how to formulate a platform that can be construed as for free trade in the scuth and west and for protection in Connecticut and New Jersey. It will be more than a two horse not, and to accomplish it the Democrats will have to do some wide straddling—a feat, by the way, to which the party has given much attention in the past, but never with much success.

Tim Washington Pest, organ of the Democracy, in very much disturbed over the nomination of Mayor Harrison for Covernor of Illinois. Under the heading, "An Unfortunate nomination," it says: "Whatever doubt existed as to the ability of the Republicans to carry Illinois this fall for their Presidential and Clubernatorial tickets was offectively removed by the Democratic nomination for Governor of auch a man as Unctor H. Harrison, at present Mayor of Chicago by grace of the very worst elements in the city. How honest Democrats can ran on the tleket with such a man In me difficult to conceive as the apirit of madagas which could allow auth a nomination to be made in anch a state at such a time. Suppose the Democratic National ticket should be Bayard and Morrison or Claveland and Morrison. Is Carter Harrison a proper third for such a

Our neighbor of the Receive is in Chicago, giving the benefit of his valuable advice to the Democrats annumbed there, as to the man they ought to nominate. We don't pretond to know who our neighbor proform but as his politics have always boots directed with particular referonce to the interests (or votes, rather) of the workingmen, we presums that he is inhering for the succom of the Widow Butler. Our neighbor has said a good many things of an uncomplimentary nature about the widow's character for honesty, but then he could get around all that easily enough, as that improved whom B. F. B. was in party, in the folds of which our neighbor does not believe an honest porson can exist. But, now that the ex-governor of Massachusetts, the has returned to the besom of the Democratic party, no more honest or patriotic man can be found 'Rah for Bon Butler!

In Aid of Ovelone Sufferers In compliance with a call made on July 6th, for citizens of our t-waship to must at Elwin on Monday evening, July 7th, to take notion for the relief of sufforers from the inte eyelone, meeting was called to order by L. R. Stickel, who was chosen chairman, and J. N. Odor secreti-ry. On motion it was decided that the chairman appoint a committee of five persona to sullett and for the sufferers, and the following maned persons were appointed: D. A. McCrory, A. F. Hophing, John Kroig, Ocorgo Shavely and H. Office and the strong theory of the strong o ware appointed on this committee.
The inecting then adjourned to meet

next briday evening at 11; o clock p. m. to hour reports of committees and take further action. The attendance of citinone at this meeting was good, and it was rounseled that all the Decatur papers publish the above proceedings. J. N. Oriou, Socts, ALMMERING A P. MOGILIA.

A mealing for the relief of the evelone antiferers was held at Boody has night, at his-state of B. Gross. The meeting was collect in order by Supervisor Rosen-grants, and Was Dockin chosen chairand W. Harbert secretary. A committee was appointed to soller and for the meet, the following amount at for the committees. W. F. Blackenship, Heary Miller, H. R. Rosengrants, Rold, Warnick, E. R. Mottett, F. Nieutker and W. Jaskes, Hon. W. T. Mottett was chosen to set us broader of the fund, and those desiring to contribute requested to pake desiring to contribute requested to make their doughtone to him, or to any one of the committee. It was ordered that the proceedings be published in the Deentur | unit measure. The attempt to

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What the Preliminary Skirmish Has Ac complished for the Various Candidatos-Tilden's Last Letter.

Interest Centering in the Fight Between Tammany and Irving Hall-Cleveland Abead.

Chicago, Lt., July 8 .- The caucus of the New York delegation yesterday was the event of the day. Before the caucus the anti-Cleveland men met in John Kelly's room. There were twenty-five o them, and they issued a protest against Grover Cleveland's candidacy. In it they brought out with very strong emphasis the statement that he could not carry New York; that he would lose the State to the Republicans by a clear majority of 100,000 votes; that any man the Convention might name, whether he be Flower, Bayard, Randall or some Western man would be more acceptable to the rank und file of the New York Democracy than Cloveland. Under the head,

"MAKE NO MISTAKE," some weighty arguments set forth in an anti-Cleveland publication received the meeting's indorsement. Then Kelly submitted a resolution which will cause of revolution in the Convention. It sets forth that "Whereas, in a contest such as the New York State Democracy is now engaged in, the unit rule in the Convention makes it impossible for delegates in the minority to represent the wishes of their constituency; that the unit rule is an unjust measure, since it denies the exercise of individual and personal preference, and that therefore they are resolved to oppose the unit rule in the meeting of the New York delegation, and that, if it is ineffective to prevent the choice of a man for the Democratic candidate for President who can not carry his own State, the figh will be then taken into the Na-tional Convention." In a speech John Kelly said this measure was the only way to defeat Cleveland. With the Kings County delegation for him he would have forty-five delegates. They two-thirds rule to vote for the delega-tion, the vote being cast as a unit. Mr. Kelly said that the National Convention of 1988 ordained that the unit rule could be dispensed with at any time at the option of any subsequent National Convention. The resolution was promptly carried

OFFOSE THE UNIT RULE. and endeavor to defeat it in the delega A resolution was also adopted that If the Cleveland men were too many in the State meeting, and voted down a resolution for a two-third vote on the unit question, to be offered by Kelly, the Flower and Tammany delegates should althdraw and hold a meeting to decite what next to do. The meeting then adjourned and agents Immediately went around to see whether the other States would work to overthrow the unit rule in the Convention. To their sur-prise they found that several of the States were ripe for it. Massachusetts, Iowa manifested their willingness to go into full wahlp with the Ropublican the schame. All day the matter has been the sense by the different delegations.

This scheme was the last resort TO BEAT CLEVELAND. It has been thought over carefully, and at a meeting of the anti-Cleveland leaders this proposition was made. "Cleveland Alleged purioiner of silver spoons, has now forty-five delegates from New York. They are a majority, and can go into session, and without us, vote to have the vote of the entire delegation cast for Cleveland. We, as the minority, will have no voice. We must resolve on some plan to go into the Convention and show that the State is not unanimous for Creveland, The only way open is to in the Convention is manifest Equipped

with this plan the TAMMANY AND PLOWER delegates went late the meeting of the State delegation. A crowd six deep lined the corridor leading to the large partor where the New Yorkers met. Two policemen guarded the door and admitted the delegates only. The cancus was long and exciting. After organization an in-formal vote was taken as to the choice of candidates as follows For Cleveland, 47: Flower, 23; scattering, 3. The first formal vote was exactly like this. On the second ballot there was an abandonment of Flower, nobudy but Jacobs, of Kings County, voting for him.

For Bayard-Belmont, Grady, Bowers, Kelly, O'Donahuo, McQuado, Miller and For Socum-Faulkner, Dowling, Stuhlnecker, Sanford, Murphy, Hamilton, Stevens, Moore, Danforth, Sears, Brewster, Galop, Purcell, Gerling and

It stood 17 for Cleveland to 25 against. After this vote a few opponents of Cleveland began to kave the room.

TAMMANY FOUGHT against the unit rule, but Jacobs, an against the unit rule, out Jacobs, an anti-Cleveland delegate, spoke in favor of 0, saying that the Tammany men who were now opposing it were its staunchest filends in the Saratoga Convention. It was not honest, he caimed, for Kelly to urge the unit rule at Saratoga, when he thought Kings County was with him, but to oppose it at Chicago, when he found Kings County against him. The second ballot stood if for Cleveland, 15 for Slocum, 9 for Bayard, and 1 for Tilden. The delegation adjourned at three o'clock to meet again at five o'clock and decide the

OVERTHROW THE UNIT RULE In the Convention will be seconded by Hutler, McDonald and other candidates. Kunsas voted against the unit rule at its meeting, but east 13 votes for Cleve-land and 4 for Bayard. Iowa metand deeided to vote for Cleveland, 21 being given for the New York Governor and 1 blank. New Hampshire instructed its delegates for Cleveland. The drift was toward Cleveland after the New York State inceting, but Kelly's threat to defeat the unit rule is regarded as likely to njure him very seriously. Roswell P. flower's chances are not injured, so it is Plower's chances are not injured, so to lo

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BY TELEGRAPH will be brought forward again. Every indication points to a

LONG AND BITTER CONVENTION. The Thurman members of the Ohio delegation met in the afternoon and finally deckled to put Allen G. Thurman in the field. This complicates the situation more. John R. Milan is to be given the chairmanship of the delegation. The National Democratic Executive Committee mot yesterday, and selected Governor Hubbard, of Texas, as temporary chairman of the Convention It was thought that Colonel Vilas, of Wisconsin, would be the choice of the committee for the office, but there was no contest over the matter, and selection. He is a man of fine physique powerful voice and is said to be a skill-ful parliamentarian. In addition to al this he has the power of keeping a large assemblage in order. Governor Hubbard will probably be replaced, when the time comes for the election of a permanent chairman, by Aliau G. Thurman, of Ohio. It is generally conceded that the Convention will need a master hand to con-

Slocum. If the unit rule is abolished he

DEMOCRATIC TXUBERANCE. There will be very little figuring fo candidates for the position. There are no great contests to be settled. There will be no moment when one candidat or another can gain a decisive point by holding the sympathy of the presiding of Consequently the only consideration in the selection will be to get the

There was a very loud call for the s lection of Alian G. Thurman. He would command the respect and consideration of the delegates. But Thurman is on the cards to present the name of Senator Bayard. It is likely that if Thurman finds it Inexpedient to act, Vilas, of Wisconsin, will be made the presiding officer. Ex-Mayor Prince, of Boston, will be temporary Secretary, and Richard J. Bright, of Indiana, Sergeant-at-Arms. It was decided to adopt the rules of the last Democratic Convention, with the following modification: That in voting for candidates for President and Vice-President no State shall be allowed to change its vote untithe roll of States has been called and every State has east its vote. "I will support the nominee of this Convention, no matter who he may be.

SAID GENERAL B. F. BUTLER

yesterday in a speech to the Massachu-setts delegation. "If the Democrats should see fit to nominate Blaine, I am Democrat enough to support him."
General Butler was replying to some of the statements made that if he did not get the nomination he would probably head a separate ticket, and by so doing draw away enough votes to defeat the Democratic nominee. The meeting of the delegation lasted more than an hour. General Butler was there through nt all, while Dr. Hall, of Lowell, Wm. Carl, l'at Maguire and others burned incense before him and bathed him with olly words. When he left the room the crowd le the corridors chapped their hands enthusiastically, and the General smiled benignly on them. The delegation organized by electing the following officers and members of committees: Chairman, the Hon. G. Abbott, Scere-tary, J. W. Coveny; Committee on Or-ganization, Jno. W. Cummings; Creden-tlats, John W. Corcoran; Resolutions, General B. F. Butler; Vice-President for the State, James E. Estabrook. Delegates, clubs, parties and individ-

POURED INTO CHICAGO like rain out of a waterspout. Every inhad weighty business here, and men whose only object was pleasure. The hotel counters were inaccessible to all except stalwart pushers, who made their ageously against all comers. Among the delegations arming at the Palmer House yesterday were a number of Maryland nen, and the rest of the delegates from Minnesota, West Virginia, Virginia, Louisiana, Tennessee, Iowa and Missis-

THE CONVENTION HALL is now completed and in readiness for the opening to-day. The north and southends, which are reserved for inmunication with the square space in the center, devoted to the delegates and alternates, by solid board partitions live feet high. There is only one entrance for the delegates. This door is nearly in the center of the bullding and through it the delegates and alternates reach their seats They cannot possibly get anywhere clee bers of the press enter at the same point. The press tables are on an inclined plane running from a level with the Speaker's stage downward. The delegates seats

PLUSH-COVERED OPERA CHAIRS. while those of the alternates, which are separated from the delegates by a threefoot fence, are plain. The decorations are completed. They are quite hand-some. Above the stage a mammoth flag of the nation is draped in large folds, with smaller flags for borders. Pictures of Wachlyston Laffencon Andrews Lagrange smuller flags for borders. Pictures of Washington, Jefferson, Andrew Jackson and Horatio Seymour are placed upon them in large lithographs. The full length of the galleries is decorated with strips of red, white and blue, with the shields of the various States taking up the loops, and very large National flags unfurled at intervals of twenty feet from each other the entire circumference of

the building.
About two-thirds of the delegations and visiting clubs made a street parade yesterday afternoon on the invitation of the Cook County Democratic Club. Over 6,000 men were in line and lifteen bands furnished the music. The visitors made a fine appearance and received an enthashistic greeting along the route.

CLLVELAND GETS THE NEW YORK YOUR Immediately after the adjournment of the New York caucus yesterday John Kelly and his followers held a secret conference, at which there was a general interchange of views respecting the situacaucus reassembled, and the discussion on the unit rule was renewed with great vigor. After a long debate a resolution was adopted, by 61 to 11, that the seventy-two votes of New York State shall be cast in the Convention of Convention of Conventions of C tion for Cleveland. An amendment to the resolution was offered by Mr. Powers, and also adopted, that when the vote is given as a unit, a statement shall accompany it to the effect that the delegation is not unnuimous in its preferonces, and that the vote on supporting Cleveland stood as follows: Cleveland 49, Slocum 13, Bayard 9, Flower 1. It was only on condition of this statement being made that Kelly gave his consent to the 72 votes being cast together. John II. Mooney, one of Kelly's most

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intimate confederates, said last night that Kelly pronounces THE ANTI-CLEVELAND STRENGTH

by no means broken, and he hopes to go into the Convention and defeat the Gov-ernor. The New York delegation, Mr. Kelly still believes, will go for Bayard. The Tammany leader hoped much from s conference to be held last night of the supporters of Bayard, Butler and other prominent candidates, with a view to uniting the opposition to Cieveland. Mr. Mooney believed that the North mooney believed that the North Carolina delegation, which came instructed for Cleveland, has determined to come out soldier. mined to come out solidly against him.
It was said last night by persons who should be well informed that Mr. Kelly has prepared a protest against Cleve-land's nomination, and that he will read it to the Convention at the proper time Abram S. Hewitt was chosen by the meeting of the New Yorkers as a member of the Committee on Resolutions. Mr. Converse was chosen as a member of the same committee from Ohlo. At the meet-THE BUCKEYE DELEGATION

Mr. Warner, who aspired to the position received but eighteen votes, against twenty-six for Mr. Converse. This dele-gation is badly mixed as to its preference for the Presidential candidate. A promi nent delegate states the probable ing as follows: Hoadly thirty, Thurman fourteen, and the other two fer Cleveland. No vote on this question was taken in the delegation yesterday, however, and nothing definite can be said as to how they wiii stand. McLean was unanimously lected chairman of the delegation, but it is said that this was done on the promise from McLean that he would not claim it as a victory for his views. THE MASSACHUSETTS DELEGATION

are said to be solid for Butler, except Mr. Prince. It is understood that Prince will challengo General Butler's vote on account of his being a candidate on the Labor and Greenback tickets, and therefore unable to pledge himself to the nom-ince of this Convention. It is said when this occurs Mr. Butler will deliver a vigorous speech in defense of his posi-

EXPLICITLY ANSWERED.

Letter From Mr. Tilden Reaffirming His Declination to be a Candidate.

NEW YORK, July 8,-The following is an authentic copy of a communication to Mr. Barnum, the Chairman of the National Committee, from Mr. Tulden: GREYSTONE, N. Y., July 5 .- To Hon. William H. Barnum, Chicago: I have received your telegram informing me of the disposition to nominate me for the Presidency and asking "Will you accept an ununimous nomination from the Con-Mr. Manning saving, "It seems absolutely necessary that you (I) should an swer Barnum's telegram as soon as possible. Your inquiry was explicitly answered in the negative by my letter of June 10 to Mr. Manning. S. J. Tilden.

A WARNING TO BEN.

The Avenger of Blood Hot on His Trail. KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 8.—The Evening Star will to-day publish an interview with Mrs. Mumford, widow of Acting Mayor W. B. Mumford, of New Orleans, who was hung by Ben Butler 1862, and a statement from his son, who swears he will kill Ben Butler if he runs for President. It is not known what the Jibben-ninosay will do if Bea runs for Vice-

Randall Will Be There. PHILADELPHIA, PA., July 8 .- Ex-Speaker Randull arrived here last evening from Washington and left on the 11 20 p. m. train via the Pennsylvania Central Rafi-

BASE BALL BREVITIES.

Score of Games Played on Monday, July 7. Baltimore, Md.-St. Louis Unions, 5; Baltimores, 1 Ill.-Chicagos, 7; New Chicago, Yorks, 0.

Boston, Mass.-Chicago Unions, 5; Bostons, 0. Washington, D. C.-Nationals, 9; Cininnati Unions, 5.

Buffalo, N. Y .- Providences, 14; Buf-Columbus, O .- Athletics, 5; Colum-Philadelphia, Pa.--Keystones, 20; Kan-

sas Citys, 3. Minneapolis, Minn.-Minneapolis, 5; St. Pauls, 3.

Toledo, O. - Metropolitans, 11; To-Evansville, Ind.—Bultimores, 6; Evans-

villes, 2. Detroit, Mich .- Philadelphias, 11; Detroits. 6.

Cleveland, O.-Bostons, 11; Cleve-

Fatal Collision. WEEHAWKEN, N. J., July 8 .- A fatal col-

lision occurred yesterday morning at the entrance to the New York, West Shore & Buffalo Railroad tunnel. As a passenger backed into by drill engine No. 92. The tender of the drill engine crashed into the forward passenger car, and broke it into kindling wood. Patrick Mahan, aged twenty-two years, of No. 201 William street, Hoboken, who was on the platform of the car putting down the brakes to slow the train, was killed. No one else was injured. It is said the engineer of the drill engine was to blame.

Saved by a Truss.

Lincoln, Ill., July 8 .- Elijah Townsend and Eli Rouse, both colored, had an altercation, during which the former drew a forty-four English bull-dog revolver and fired at the latter. Fortunately for Rouse he wore a truss, which the ball struck after passing through his clothing and glanced off, leaving him unharmed. Townsend was arrested and lodged in jail. The shooting was the result of an old fond sult of an old feud.

Storm in Pennsylvania. READING, Pa., July 8.-Reports from Berks, Lebanon and Montgomery Conntles state that when Sunday's storm cloud burst, for several miles wide, roads were submerged and bridges washed away, houses and barns were unroofed and acres of fields washed out as con pletely as if the crops were never planted.

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First Session of the Forty- . Eighth Congress.

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Thought to Have Been Lost. The Naval Appropriation Defeated-At the Mercy of Foreign Maritime

The Legislative Omnibus Comes in at the

Last Moment with Belated Bills

Powers.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 7.-But five Senators were present at ten o'clock The Chair announced the President's signature to a number of bills, when

the conference report on the naval appropriation bill was received. Mr. Hale moved to recede from the Senate amendments.

Mr. Miller (of Cal.) delivered a long written speech as to the urgent demand for a pavy. He argued that the United States might soon be engulfed in complications with both Euro pean and South American powers which would lead to war, and it was absolutely necessary for us to be fully prepared for offensive and detensive warfare. He was prepared, he again asserted, to sit unti next winter in order to dispose of this momentous question. The Democratic

party is responsible for having the country in this defenseless condition. Mr. Morgan replied orging that the Senator from California had availed himself of an unjust opportunity to make an attack upon the Democratic party. He wanted a navy not as threat against man-kind, but for the protection of mankind, and was opposed to taking steps for the immediate construction of a large naval force on the ground that it was needed to

Mr. Conger said the Senate could not afford to recede from the amendments to the bill, since the country needed and demanded a powerful navy.

Mr. Hawley also spoke as to the cry-ing demand for a navy. Without a navy, in the event of a foreign war, all that would be left to do would be to submit o a cowardly peace. Mr. Hall said nothing could be gained by continuing the controversy with the House. It would be wise for the Senate

The motion to recede was then agreed A resolution was adopted agreeing to adjourn sine die at two o'clock.

On motion of Senator Bayard the thanks

of the Senate were accorded to Hou tesy and impartiality with which he had presided over its deliberations. Senator Allison, Chairman of the Com

mittee on Appropriations, made a brick statement in regard to the appropriation bills, showing that there was a total increase of \$22,000,000 over those of last year. This increase arose largely from the fact that last year there are no the results of the same points and barbon bill while the same points are same points. there was no river and harbor bill, while this year there were over \$14,000,000 appropriated for internal improvementa The miscellaneous appropriations were also largely increased. Referring to the debate on the navy he stated that next year he had no doubt Congress would be as liberal in appropriations for the nav s ever belore

About half an hour before the time fixed for final adjournment, the President sent to the Senate the nominations of Geo. II. Sharpe of New York, Thos. C. Republes of Missouri, Solon O. Thatcher of Kansas, to be Commissioners to ascertain the best modes of securing more in-timate international commercial relations between the United States and the severa countries of Central and South America Henry L. Thomas, of Washington, D. C. also nominated for the position o Secretary to the Commission names were promptly confirmed by the Senate. Just before two o'clock the Senate, while in executive session, passed

sente, which is executive session, passed a joint resolution extending the time for final adjournment to 8 p. m. This was sent to the House and agreed to.

During executive session time for adjournment was extended to three o'clock. There was nothing done until 2:45 p. m, when the signature of the President was announced to several enrolled bills. Mr. Allison then said the business of the session was closed, and moved a formal adjournment. This was agreed to, and Senator Edmunds made the closing address, which was well worded and touchingly delivered.

The House, in the absence of Speaker Carlisle, who left for Chicago at three o'clock this morning, was called to order by the Clerk.

Mr. Randall offered a resolution that Hon. J. C. S. Blackburn (of Kentucky) be elected Speaker during the temporary absence of Speaker Carlisle. Adopted unanimously. Mr. Blackburn on taking the chair

thanked the House for the compliment and said be would endeavor to descree it. The clerk was directed to inform the Senate and President of this action. Recess was then taken until 11:30 a. m. Reassembling at 11.30 the House while waiting for action by Senate on the naval appropriation bill, took up and passed a number of pension bills that had been

passed by the Senate and reported by the House Committee on Pensions. Error having occurred in the enrollment of the consular and diplomatic appropriation bill, a joint resolution was dopted requesting the President to return the same.

At twelve o'clock the session of Satur-

day terminated, and the House at once went into Monday's session. The Secretary of the Senate communicated a resolution for final adjournment at 2 p. m. which was at once adopted.

A resolution for a committee to wait upon the President was adopted. Messra

Randall, Turner and Hiscock were appointed on the part of the House. More Senate pension bills were passed and the calendar cleared of this class of The consular and diplomatic appropriation bill having been returned by the President, the Clerk was instructed to insert in the bill the paragraph providing

rollment. At three o'clock, the hour fixed for final adjournment, Speaker Blackburn declared the House adjourned without day.

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CHICAGO CONVENTION.

The Democrats Getting Ready for the Usual Racket-John Kelly on Dack.

PRESS BULLETINS.

OBIOAGO, Ill., July 8. Bulletin No. 1. Convention assembling. It is said that Kelley will try to have the unit rule set aside by the convention, failing in which Tammany may withdraw. Prominent free traders say i platform is not unmistakably for free trade, minority report will be made to convention. Gov. Hubbard, of Texas will be temporary chairman. No. 2.—On Thurman's entrance he was-received with cheers, delegates rising to

o their feet. No. 3-12:41 p. m.-Convention called to order at 12:40 p. m. No. 4-12:50 p. m.—Gov. Hubbard, on

taking seat as temporary president, recoived with loud obsers.

No. 5—1:02 p. m.—Hubbard mentioned
Tilden, when delegates and audience rose

No. 6-1:10 p. m.-Hubbard recom mended that platform be as in past, and that it speak in no double tongue on important questions.

No. 7—Hubbard hoped action would be such that it would attract independent

to their feet. Immense and continued

and disaffected Republicans.

No. 8—1:20 p. m.—Resolution that states cannot change their vote during roll call presented. Grady, of New York, presented an amendment that the chair man of each kielegation shall when roll is called give expression to individual vote. Fellows, of N. X., in speaking against amendment, said the convention had no right to change instructions of the state of New York. No. 9—1:29 p. m.—Fellows read the instructions of the New York convention,

showing that the delegates were bound to vote as a unit with the wishes of the maority. Speech cheered and hissed.
No. 10—1:34 p. m.—An amendment to amendment offered that no state shall change its vote till after total vote has been announced. Grady has taken the floor to speak in opposition.
No. 11—Grady said that there was great

danger that through political machinery the honest voice of New York would be stilled. [Sensation, cheers and hisses.]
No. 12.—Grady said newspapers had been bought to print at head of columns New York's 72 votes were united, which was untrue. If the Democratic party wanted votes of people he represented, it

nust give voice to their appeal.

No. 13—1:50 p. m.—Grady closed with an eloquent appeal that all New York should have the right to be heard in the No. 11-1:54 p. m.—Doolittle, Wis., took the floor, and said the state has the right in its convention to say how it shall be

represented. He favored leaving the mat-ter with New York. No. 15—Motion to refer Grady's amendnent to com. on organization lost. No. 16-Judge Cochran of New York now speaking in favor of Grady's amend-ment. Unless carried the voice of a large number of excellent people of New Yor

will be stiffed.

No. 17—2:10 p. m.—Cochran said the question as to whom New York should ote for did not come up in the state convention is the reason no protest was made Gen. Cluny, of California, speaking in tayor of Grady's amendment.

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junction to said station 17 to be fitten feet wide.

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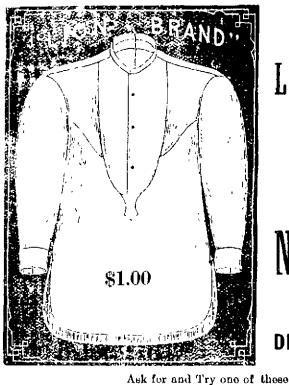
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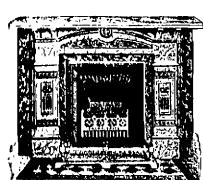
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The Daily Republican.

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We have received an Immense stock of FLAGS, of every size, from 3 inches to 3 feet. We will made special prices to committees or parties wanting quantities for Decoration Day. Come and get what u want now. Also a full line of Japanse Lanterns.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

Bos. Decatur Republican:—Acting upon the advice of my many Republican friends throughout the county, and more especially of these of my own township—Macon—I have concluded to offer myself as a candidate for the office of Representative to the next legislature, subject of course, to the decision of the Republican district convention.

D. P. KELLER.

We are authorized to announce John II, Chooker, of Maron, as a candidate for representative from the 29th Senatorial District, subject to the decision of the Republican district convention.

local and general news.

TUESDAY BVENING, JULY 8, 1891. LAWN VABES, of all styles, at

E, D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s. A LIGHT rain early this morning. The war on alleged reckless gallor

dealers has commenced. Who's next? Turne will be a young folks' sociable at Mrs. Jennison's, on Cemetery street

this evening. All are invited. THE shipment of the new double pump

from Milwaukee for Decatur is daily ex CLEAN the city. Take dirt out of alleys

and cart away the rabbish. The dog and cholera days are at hand. FIRE CHIEF WAYNE says good order

and decenoy must be preserved at the hose houses—no matter who suffers. OALL up Niedermeyer, on the mound

by telephone, and order reliable family Ir will pay you to call at Abel & Looke's and buy carpets and wall paper. SER advertisement of W. W. Shockey.

jy1-d10d. The tabernacle was two-thirds illied last night to hear Dr. Boole. He spoke from 8 o'clock until nearly 11, and then

didu't care to quit. JEANS Pants at 50 cents a pair at B. Sting's, dtf

ing cash relief for the cyclone sufferers near Boody and Elwin. Liberal contri-

butions have been made. Sam Lee, 130 North Water street-machine iroped shirts, 10 cents, collars 3 cents, culls 5 cents per pair. deol1-d1y

John's Episcopal Church will give a lawn sociable next Wednesday night at the

Edward street. Music and refreshments. STOP at C. B. Prescott's music store and learn his astonishingly low figures on

and hold the fort four days and evenings. There will be two big shows in two big tents. Performances at 2 in the afternoon and 8 in the evening. All for 10 cents. See bills for full particulars.

You can buy choice sugar-cured boneess breakfast bacov, without cloth or paper wrappings, of Imboden Bros.
July 2-d10t

clock has been directed to advertise for a good starter. Begin on the old square and lot us see how the brick will stand

Tunne is a splendid display of gent's nseful and beautiful and is well worthy

Mrs. Auton Scureman, aged one year and one month, died of spasms yesterday. the negative and Alexander, Diebl, Go The funeral took place this forenoon at 9:90 o'clock, from St. Patrick's church,

parilla. It leads the list as a truly scien-

tific preparation for all blood diseases.

Mas. K. Einstein has re-engaged the services of Mrs. Black, as trimmer, during the summer months, the trade keeping up to such an extent that she finds it necessary to retain the services of an expert trimmer. Mrs. Black's past record is sufficient guarantee of the style in which she gets up the hats. Her trimming cannot be excelled. We will offer special inducements during the mouths of July and August, to reduce our stock.

Mas. K. Einstein. յակչ8-վ.cwtf QUICK sales and small profits, at Bachman Broe'. junel6-dlm Anypopy might have known that this

matter of giving wedding presents would lend to something bye-and-bye. Listen to this from an exchange: "A youthful appearing couple have been detected in a strange conspiracy to obtain money. They visited different cities as single persons, obtained positions in society, courted each other and were married. In every case the wedding presents aggregated handsome amounts."

* * * * Rupture, pile tumors, fietulas and all diseases of lower bowel (except cancer), radically cured. Address, World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and enclose two (3c) stamus for

THE CITY COUNCIL usy Meeting—Public Improvements ar

Sidewalks-No Licenses Granted.

The regular July session of the municipal legislature was held at the city hall last night, there being a packed lobby with plenty of close listeners standing in the marshal's office and in the hall. Mayor Chambers and all the aldermen were in their places. The minutes of the

PETITIONS.

and referred to committee on public im-

Augustus Harpstrite, in the form of

at street corners by the Citizens' Street

Car Company. Referred to streets and alleys committee and city attorney.

A communication from J. C. Robinson

referred to city attorney.

The petition of Alvah Hubbell for permission to lay tile on North street was

granted under direction of council com-

A communication signed by a number of firemen and citizens asking that the

fines of two volunteer firemen for alleged disorderly conduct be remitted was read,

and on motion the prayer of petitioners was granted. Ald, Wayne voted in the

affirmative, after making a statement that he had done all he could to have the

parties fined to teach them a lesson. He

vould vote in the affirmative with the un-

derstanding that no more bad conduct should occur at Neptune hose house.

The plat of the resurvey of the east

to the Hon. Mayor and City Council of the City of Docatur;

GENTREMEN:-I hereby present my report for

LUMBER EXPENDED.

Balance on hand July 1st, 1884 ... 31,004 fee

LABOR IN THE DEPARTMENTS.

EXPENDED IN THE DEPARTMENTS.

B& W R R Co., water, new, Calbounst 19

Respectfully submitted, W. H. Shorb, Sup't, of Streets, Marshal's report.

Hon. Mayorand Gentlemen of the City Coun-it: I submit my report for the menth of unc. 1834, of arrests, causes of arrests, fines assessed and collected.

MARSHAL'S OFFICE, DECATUR, ILL., July 1st, 1881.

Vagrancy
Assault
Disorderly conduct
Burglary
Destroying private property
Using profine language
Shooting in city limits
Solding liquor without Heeney

Labor on chain gung for old and new fines, 33 days, at \$1.25 per dap.....

BEPORTS.

The June report of Engineer Barnett

was read and referred to water committee.

The police reports of Justices Lowry,

Curtis, McGorray and Corley were refer

red to the city attorney.

It was ordered that a sewer pipe be put

in on North street, opposite the residence of Frank P. Roach.

The committee reported in favor of the

onstruction of a drain tile on East Eldo-

rado street, provided a good inlet is fur

nished. Adopted.

It was ordered that a culvert be put in

on west side of Jasper street, in an alley between Condit and Edward streets.

as soon as regular grade is established.

It was ordered that a lamp post be

is cetablished.

The gas committee reported in favor of

additional tamp put in position added to those now in use. The motion to refer

back to gas committee was lost by Alex-

gorty, Oakes, Stare and Wayne voting in the affirmative.

The committee on salaries and printing

reported that Richard Steward be appointed servenger at a salary of \$10 a month.

tur Tank Line, 30 cents; George Nichols

Total .

collected

addition was read and referred. REPORT OF STREET SUPERISTENDENT

bridges and culverts...

and approved.

department. Adopted.

By Lake, that an order be drawn on the treasurer in favor of Mayor for \$10,000, said mency to be made by bim as a special deposit in bank to be paid to B. P. Alile & Co. on delivery and prection of new pumping engines by said firm, according to contract, Adopted.

By Roberts, that the city olerk be authorized to advertise for bide for the improvement of the old square. Adopted. By Shoemaker, that ordinance be drawn to pave North Franklin street. Bast Main, William street and North Park street from Mater to Franklin, and that clerk advertise for bids. Laid on the table. By Muyzy, that notice he directed to accept three meetings held in June were read A petition from citizens on West Prai

Laid on the table.

By Muzzy, that police be directed to arrest sail disorderly characters congregating in front of churches and other public places. Adopted, By Muzzy, that a water main be extended from mearest point new completed to Monroe street at its intersection with Eldorado street, theuse on College to King street. Referred.

By Muzzy, that a crossing be put across College street on the south side of Cerro Gordo street; also on Eldorado street, seross Monroe street. Referred.

By Lake, that an order be drawn in favor of Dennis, Long & Co. for \$12,000 to make cash payment on now water main. Adopted. rie street asking that water pipe be ex-tended from Edward to Pine, was read petition, protested against the existence of the curved switches lately constructed

west to the ond of King street ditch. Referred. By Wayne, that the chairman of purchasing committee be authorized to purchased as soon as possible one team of horses for the paid fire lepartment. Adopted.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

REPORTS OF COMMITTERS.

The following were adopted:
Your committee to whom was referred the several claims of L. Burrows, D. W. Bronneman, J. W. Race, Nancy Wait, N. W. Matteny, S. C. Clokey, E. McNubb, Morehouse, Wells & Co., Decatur National Bank, J. R. Race, Henry Lyon, Samuel Anderson, S. Powers, John Ullrich, Mills & Harry, for rebate on sidewalk tax paid on property in front of which they have stone walks, your committee would respectfully report that they do not find any authority for the payment of same in the ordinance.
J. C. Lake,
L. F. Muzzy,
T. T. Roulears,
A. N. Disbl.
Finance Com.

Your committee to whom was referred t resolution on appointment of a pound-mast would respectfully report that Lovi Naic ceive the appointment at a salary of \$40 pmonth.

"L. F. Muzzy, W. H. STARR, H. C. OAKES, NO WHIEKY ORDINANCE.

NO WHIEKY ORDINANCE.

The ordinance in relation to the sale of intoxicating liquors that no person shall sell or give away by retail any intoxicating liquors within the city of Decatur under a penalty of not less than \$50 for erch offence, provided this section shall not apply to sales made by butiling factories where liquors are sold in greater quantities than one gallon in bottles to be used for private consumption on the promises of the person to whom sold; also, that ordinance of March 11, 1896, be repealed. Referred to ordinance committee.

Aid. Roborts called attention to the fact that Samuel Powers was threatening to bring suit for damages against the city because of the third ward sever nuisance on his place, and would begin action unless some action was taken at once to prevent Powers' stock from reaching the mouth of the sewer. The council ordered that a fence be built at once to keep stock from the sewer nuisance.

granted permission to put up two poles under direction of committee.

Aid. Wayno made a motion that the vote appointing S. W. Hamsher as lamp lighter be reconsidered. Carried.

On motion the matter was then placed in the hands of the council as committee of the On motion the matter was then placed in the hands of the council as committee of the whole. Action deferred.

An ordinance providing for a whole raft of brick, gravel and board silewalks was adopted by suspending rule fifteen. The ordinance will be published in full to the Republican in a few days.

The council then adjourned without fixing date of another meeting.

A Long Winded Came. A quartette of well-known gentlemer celebrated the glorious Fourth in a pe celebrated the glorious Fourth in a peculiar manner, and at the same time they had "lots of fun." It was a long-winded contest at the seductive game of euchre—all for glory, and Denatur got away with Mt. Zion. It was the third game of a series of three of 100 games at a sitting. The contestants representing Mt. Zion were Mesers. Eli Ulery and David Blalook, and for Decatur, Mesers. Joe. B. Dingos and Herb. W. Bartholomew. Each side had won a sitting, and this was the "rubber" or test game. They commenced playing at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon, and kept at it all that night until the evening of the Fourth at 5 o'clock, putting in a total of 26 hours at the table without a wink of sleep, and when they had finished Decatur had won 60 games and Mt. Zion 40; so the victory 60 games and Mt. Zion 40; so the victory belongs to the city, and the county will

have to try, try again.

Mrs. Mattie Bell is in Chicago, visit-W. D. Cannon, of Tuscols, is in town

Judge Greer, who spent the 4th at La-fayette, arrived home yesterday afternoon. Miss Lillian Brandom, of Springfield, is a guest of Miss Sylvia Shaffer.

Dr. H. J. Spencer will leave for the west in a few days to locate permanently. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Elcock and daugher, of Mechanicsburg, Pa., are in the city

The report of the treasurer was read and on motion of Ald. Starr it was not received. The alderman suggested that Gen. Green Clay Smith, of Louisville, Ky., is at the New Deming. He will speak at the tabernacle to-night. it be presented in the manner prescribed

> Mrs. Woodin, of Washington, D. C., is at the St. Nicholas. She formerly resided in Decatur.

S. S. Jack, of the Review, is in Chicago, helping to defeat the Tammany ring, which is opposed to Cleveland.

Miss Mary Alien West, formerly Su perintendent of the Knox county public schools, is in the city. She has charge of the temperance educational bareau.

Miss Minnie Brooks was thrown from a horse last evening in front of the J. W. Haworth residence, but luckily escaped with only slight bruises.

D. H. Harts, the prohibition candidate for representative in this district, is in Decatur to-day, attending the prohibition camp meeting. He is a stumer on the political stump, and may speak to night

of President Haney, and the veteran preacher of the Himois Methodists, is in the city. He is known as the Peter Cartwright of Methodism, and is now past 72 years of age. His activity is quite sur-

Early next week Mrs. W. B. Chambers and daughters, Wm. M. Boyd, Mrs. Albert Barnes, Miss Jessie Fenton, J. B. Dinges, J. W. Clugston and James Hughes, will leave for points near Har-per's Ferry, Virginia, to spend the sum-mer. Mayor Chambers and Albert Barnes will join the party some time in August.

Another Arrest. Yesterday M. K. Carroll was arrested n a city warrant charging him with selling liquor in less quantities than a gallon.

Adopted.

DILLS PAID.

Conrad Ammann, \$5.50; Hamsher & Mosser, \$89.50; hose house watchmen, \$105; John Ullrieb, \$2.50; Ferguson & Dillehuat, \$18.90; L. Koehler, \$1.30; I. B. Stout, \$7.25; J. H. Childers, \$2.45; Decatur Tile Co., \$191.70; S. W. Hamsber, \$128.38; water works pay roll, \$260; Hand & Co., \$2.70; D. C. Moffett, \$961.26; city officers pay roll, \$266.66; H. Mneller, \$13.29; J. A. Taylor, \$5.00; I. C. R. R. Co., \$9.00; R. Liddle, \$22.28; same, \$8.32; same, \$28; D. Wilson, \$9; G. Bazieu, \$8; Linn & Boruggs, \$1.20; B. B. Tattle, \$115.48; H. Mueller & Son, \$92; John Frauk, \$7.20; W. W. Foeter, \$93; Decatur Tank Line, 30 cents; George Nichols, Death on Sparrows storms, but no more cyclones, please.

\$1.00; pay roll city marshal, \$655; Library bills paid; J. B. Bullard, \$3.

The claims of E. McClellan, Decatur coal company and gas company were

By the closing of the watch factory at Springfield recently, one thousand em-

THE officers of the National Prohibition Camp Meeting Association are Rev. James W. Haney, president, Fairbury; Hon. John H. Brayton, vice president, Decatur; Hon. A. B. Irwin, treasurer, and Thomas H. Crowder, secretary, both of

THE THIRD PARTY PROPLE for Prohibition-The Old Bettlers' Day.

The fair grounds presented a dull and de scried appearance yesterday afternoon, and were but few out at the camp-meeting exer Those who spoke were President Haney, A. F Smith, Chas. J. Holt, A. W. Haggard and D. Hiram Buck.

Last night a large audience assembled at the tabernacie to hear Dr. W. H. Boole, of No York, deliver his famous lecture on the "Bar An admission of 10 cents was exacted at th guage and plenty of new thoughts, spok nearly three hours. He stated that the design of the lecture was to show that under a government and for the preservation and promotion of morality, virtue, industry, and public peac and order, these can be formed in the principles underlying its written constitution, is authority given to a legislature on such a business as the liquor traffic, confessedly the cre ator of four-tifths of the crime and sever touths of the pauperism in the land in an way, by any method, except to forever pro-hibit its legal existence as a public business and all legislation fostering that trailic is usur pation, an abuse of legislative power, a viols ion of the principles of the constitution, an a barbarism.

This is "Education Day" at the camp-mee ng, but as the "crowd" is allm of course th ments for speech-making. If the attendanc iresses delivered by Miss Mary Allen West and others. Mrs. Woodbridge is so hoarse she can scarcely talk above a whisper.

To-night Gen. Green Clay Smith will speak at the tabernacle. The admission will be 10 cents, not 25 cents as was reported about the streots last evening.

The linaucial feature of this prohibition

against the liquor traffic and to solidify the vavering ones, is a matter which is agitating be managers just now. They have taken in their expenses will exceed that sum \$300 to \$400, and there will be some hustling done un til Thursday to make good the delicioncy. Ex Mayor Palest has cole charge of all the money The speakers have to be paid first, and if there is enough cash left the Decatur bills and offi cers will be paid.

THE OLD SETTLERS. The following is the programme arranged for the meeting of Old Settlers at the fair rrounds Thursday :

The old settlers will assemble at the main tent at 10 o'clock, on the playing of martia music by Levi Nale, Henry Hummeli and J. S Berry.

Berry.

The meeting will be called to order by Rev.
John W. Tyler.

Prayer by Rev. Wm. S. Crissey.

Election of president and secretary.

Vocal mucle, "Coronation," to be lined as of

Short speeches by old settlers. Dinner.

Dinnor.
Reassemble at the sound of drum and fife.
Music by old violinists—Wm. Montgomery,
J. R. Gorin, Willis Johnson and sons, William
Wheeler, Wm. Sawyor, James Turner, G. H.
Fuller, Dr. Allison and others.
Speeches by old settlers of adjoining counties.

les. Music—"Auld Lang Syno," by all present. Speeches by ladles concorning "ye olden innes."
Action looking to permanent organization. Registering of names and the date of coming othe state. For this purpose access can be ad to the book at any time during the day.

The Board Closed. Mr. S. T. Johnson, the board of trade

man, decided to quit business, owing to slackness in trade, parties interested failing to give him necessary encouragement to stay longer. He has been losing money several weeks. Parties having claims against Mr. Johnson are requested to send them in. The hog receipts in Chicago today were 25,000. Prices 10 cents lower.

That Lonely Dollar. Officer Hartley says that lonely dollar .C. Robinson complained about in a communication to the council last night, is all safe in his pocket. It is part payment on a fine and be can hold it until the expiration of the execution, on Aug. 27th, when it will be reported and gobbled up for costs. The officer's fee is \$1.10. He is now wanting the payment of the balance due him personall

Berond the Midland junction, near Mt. Gilead, there is a bad crossing on the needs attention. The approach to the crossing is bad, because a tall hedge grows on an elevation, which makes that point on the road exceedingly dangerous for farmers. They cannot see or hear approaching trains, and are often in danger. Yesterday a farmer passed over the crossing with a wagon load of people, and all had a very narrow escape. The com-pany should cut down that hedge and do a little grading about that crossing.

Ton council remained in session last night until after 11 o'clock. There were number of applications for liquor licenses in the pigeon hole, but they were not reached. Both Gogerty and Shoemaker were exceedingly maxious to adjourn, and succeeded in forcing an adjourament.

That Dollar. EDS. REPUBLIOAN: I notice in the council proceedings of last night's session that one J. C. Robinson filed a communication setting forth that Officer Hartley arrested one William Brewster on the 16th of June

and took a dollar from him, and was not applied on the fine. The fact of the case was that Brewster was fined before B. McGorray, J. P., and sent back to jail on an execution; and said Brewster, on his way over or back to jail, gave me one dollar to apply on the flue and cost, which execution shows he was credited on the same on the 17th day of June. Che said execution has a life until the 27th day of August, 1884, and I am still holding the same to receive the balance due and unpaid, which he promised to pay when Marshal Mason released him. Mr. Robinson has been a policeman of this city, and made a good officer, and a man whom I have respected and do have respect for him. And he should have displayed a little judgment in this matter. To accuse a brother officer of what he

have been residents of this county twenty years will attend the "Old Settlers" meeting at the fair grounds on Thursday. The managers say the meeting will be wholly non-political in character. An association of old-timers will be formed.

THE REPUBLICAN is in receipt of an entertaining account of the commencement exercises recently held at St. Mary's In-

Lawn Party.

LOOK OUT

for the GREATEST Bargains ever offered in Dry Goods and Carpets.

On Monday NEXT, June 16th, we shall place on sale a large assortment of Plain and Fancy Summer Silks, at 25, 35 and 40 cents, that have never been equaled in the United States for value.

50 Dozen Ladies' Kid Gloves, In Black and New desirable Shades, at 50 cents. Extraordinarily Cheap.

HAMBURG EMBROIDERIES. Another GREAT reduction in Hamburg Embroideries, that will justify

the inspection of everybody wanting Matchless Bargains.

DRESS GOODS,

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Quilts, Handkerchiefs, Hosiery, Gloves and Corsets, at unheard of Low

1.500 YARDS Brussels Carpets, in remnants of from 10 to 20 yards, that will be sold

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Of WALL PAPER that will be sold Cheap.

Many other Goods will be placed on sale at very Low

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May 14, 1884 -dewif

STOCK and CLOSE THE SEASON, and NOW FOR BARGAINS,

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PARTIES are in Decatur to-day solicit-

THE Ladies' Aid Society of the St. esidence of Mrs. B. K. Durfee, 357 North

Packard organs; also Haines Bros', pian-THE Oriental Dime Museum or Summer Theatre will open beneath a large tent to-morrow on the vacant lot at the corner of the park and Franklin street,

It was decided to put North Jasper street to grade south of L. B. & W. track, THE councilmon are again moving in the matter of public improvement. The placed on south corner of North State had William streets.

It was decided not to lower the cross-ing of Edward street on Main until grade bils to pave the old square. It will be

the wear and racket. the employment of Samuel W. Hamshe furnishing goods in the show windows at as tamp lighter at \$125 per month, with Fleury's mammeth store, corner of old 60 cents per gasoline lamp per month and source. The stock embraces everything 40 cents per gas lamp per month for each square. The stock embraces everything

back to gas committee was lost by Alexander, Dield, Gogerty, Cafes, Starr and Wayne voting nay, and Lake, Muzzy, Roberts and Shoemaker voting age. On the motion to adopt the report, Muzzy and Lake spoke against it. The vote on the motion to adopt was carried—Lake, Muzzy, Roberts and Shoemaker voting in the negative and Alexander. Diebl. Go. Sourceden's famous Bohemian cigars take the lead for fine nickel smokers. HEBMAN, the infant son of Mr. and

Father Mackin officiating. In no other medicinal preparation have the results of the most intelligent study and scientific inquiry been so steadily and progressively utilized as in Ayer's Sarsa-

THE best Cook Stoves in the market chean, at Bachman Bros'. june16-dlm

> RESOLUTIONS.
>
> By Shoomaker, that a ditch on the south side of North atrect from Lowber street east one block be opened. Referred.
>
> By Shoemaker, that a ditch be cut on Eldorado street from I. C. R. H. east, and fill up low places. Reforred.
>
> By Gogerty, that a lamp be placed on corner of North and Jasper streets. Referred.
>
> By Gogerty, that w. S. Nichols be granted the privilege of hawkers and peddiers license free on show days. Adopted.
>
> By Gogerty, that the mayor, appoint W. S. Nichels oil inspector for the city. Laid on the table. By Shoemaker, that a crossing be put on the east side of Calboun street, across Locust St.

> > ferred.
> >
> > By Diehl, that the gutters on Bast Prairie street, between Jackson and Broadway, be rs, fistulas el (except let veen Jackson and Broadway, be cleaned out. Referred.
> > By Muzzy, that the ditch on the north side of Wabash road, from Church west to such point, as may be necessary to secure drainage of standing water, be opened by Wabash company. Referred.
> > By Muzzy, that the superintendent proceed at once to put in a 12-inch tile from Church

Heferred. By Shoemaker, that a ditch be made on Lo-cust street from Calhoun east to old ditch. Re-

PERSONAL MENTION.

on a visit to relatives.

· H. W. Waggoner and many others of the faithful in this section left for Chica-go last night, to take in the big circus.

Rev. Dick Haney, of Fairbury, father

The trial is set for a hearing before Jus tice Curtis this afternoon.

During the violent rain and hail storm the other night the young sparrows in nests in shade trees were pelted and killed. They strewed the boulevards by the hundreds in some parts of the city George D. Randolph gathered up a buck et full of the lifeless sparrows near his residence in the second ward. They were buried in a rear lot. Give us more bail

In another column Weaver & Lewis announce a great losing sale at "The Fair" store and invite the people to call and get bargains. They quote prices. Read the announcement. 7-d3

ployes were thrown out of work. This establishment will probably remain inoperative all summer, much to the disappointment of the employes and citizens of Springfield.

FURNITURE, cheaper than over, at Bachman Broe'.

To accuse a brother officer of what he has himself done and what the law gives him the right to do—hold an execution during its life—was hardly to be expected. I have the dollar in question, and shall keep the same until such time during the life of the execution, as I shall get the balance from his nephew, Wm. Brewster. Yours,
John W. Hartley, Policeman.

Ir is expected that all persons who

Special convocation of Macon Chapter No. 21, R. A. M., this (Tuesday) evening, for work in the M. M. degree. By order of J. T. Hand, H. P. J. C. HOSTETLER, Sec.

titute, at Terre Haute. The article states that Miss Effic Rogers, third daughter of Senstor Rogers, of this city, gave an essay of prose entitled "The Vale of Attention."

The writer states that Miss Effic carried off the honors of her class.

By the Ladies' Aid Society of St. John's Episcopal Church, at the residence of B. K. Durfee, Eeq., porner West North and Edward streets, on Wednesday evening, July 9th. Music and refreshments, 8-2d

T. D. WILKELEIG, M. D. PHYBIOIAN AND SUBGLON Monor and children of the the discount of women and children Office No. 112 N. Water altern. Hoper Bullet No. 112 N. Water altern. Hoper and March March 112 No. 112 N. Water March 112 N. Water March 112 No. 112 No.

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was fired in his honor and a large crowd cheered, threw up their hats, and expressed their enthusiasm in a very forcible manner. At the other principal towns along the route receptions were accorded, notably at Syracuse and Rochester. The jour ney from Buffalo to Detroit being accomplished in the night, was com paratively free from popular demonstration. Through the towns of Michigan the most noteworthy manifestations of General But ler's popularity were given. At four

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of workingmen were in the crowd.

Some of the seediest men in the West are the most brilliant scholars. There is an old fellow who fluctuates between Virginia City, Leadville and Denver, who has fathered more projects involving tremendous engineering tests than all the great engineers in the world. Every time he turns up here he has a new idea, and is very confident that he has struck it this time. His latest was thus described by himself "You are aware that the great gold deposits of California have been found

in the beds of rivers. The American, the Yuba, the Mackalumne, the Tuolumne, and the Merced are all famous. Millions have been taken from them Now I have a scheme that if properly worked will make the finds on those creeks look like tallow dips by the side of an electric light. All through the Rockies and the Sierras there are burned rivers, rivers that have been covered up by volcanic upheavals in the ages that have gone Centuries ago there were rivers, now unknown, as rich in mineral as any of those from whose beds so many fortunes have been talen The lapse of time, furious storms, and convulsions of nature have obliterated these streams, covering them in some instances to the depth of hundreds of feet, and their waters have been turned into other channels Now, if gold has been found in these comparatively new rivers, as most of those with which we are acquainted unboubtedly are, what do you think must be the richness of the deposit in these old river beds into which the pilceless treasure of a virgin earth were washed? Covered with mountains, as some of

these streams are, they, nevertheless, will pay for the working. I have been over the ground, and know what I am talking about. "I have located three or four of these ancient rivers, and have mapped out a plan of operations. All that will be necessary is to sink a shaft four or five hundred feet through the earth and rock, and when the gravel is stuck run drifts up and down the bed of the old-time river. There is absolutely no limit to the possibilities. I may say probabilities, of this scheme, except the limit to the possibilities. length of the river bed. It can be followed from its source to its mouth, and untold millions be taken out. From observations that I have made, I believe the present water courses of Califorms to be of comparatively recent formation when the age of the world is considered. If they were rich, what must be the value of those into whose channels the washings of cycles were swept? It is a big thing, and if I can get some moneyed men interested in the scheme I will make a hundred for-

tunes"
"I have get a scheme," said a thin, long-whiskered individual in a Las Antmas tavern the other day, "which only needs money to make it a stupendous and world-famous success Now, here is this Arkansas River It's no good atter it leaves the mountain country and with a little change in its course it might be made useful to the West I have found a place where, by the con-struction of a will of rough masonry, seven or eight feet high, for a distance of two or three miles, that river could be turned from its channel here in Colorado, and sent booming to the south through Arizon i or New Mexico, as you pleased, and into the Rio Grande Some excavating would be necessary at a few places, but I would utilize the beds of other rivers to a considerable extent. With a steady supply of good with the the assured it would be an easy matter to sell privileges along the route. to construct reservoirs for migrating purposes, and to build waterworks for towns and mining camps. This thing is in the interest of civil zation.

"The river now tuns through a flat country, the inhabitants of which caunot and do not cure to utilize its witers Turned off, as I propose, it would hasten the settlement of all the country to the south of us and develop some of the tichest mining properties in the world. Think of the amount of stock that could be sold in such a scheme, of the number of companies that could be organized, and of the dividends that they would pay I have had a talk with one Congression and with several capitalists on this project, and the thing is working. The first thing you know it will be under full headway."

On a Denver & Rio Grande train the other day a sharp-eyed man, who had stock-raising to bottling beer in this city, observed "One of these days there will be a rathoad through every canyon in this whole Western country. It only needs a million or two to make hundred milhons on a little scheme that I have in view There are lots of canons where you can't put more than ne railroad track through to save your the I have been thinking of organizing a company to buy up the right of way in such places and put down a section of track. Let it lie. One of these days there will be a strike on one of these routes, and they will have to have a railroad built. It can't go up the mountain or through it. Our right of way and but of track will come mighty handy, also mighty high, and enough can be made on one such deal to pay the expense of the whole undertaking Before very long there will be a demand for the others, and so it will go. I'm

negotiating for capital now."

The land grant is a thing which excites the cupidity of the schemers

Every railroad in the country knows how necessary it is to keep an eye on its lands. Somebody is scheming for them all the time. Dozens of jobs have been organized to capture big slices of the public domain on which corpora-tions of one kind and mother have fastened their grip. Every legal point must be watched with the utmost care, and if any loophole is left open, some fellow who may have been waiting for years for just that opportunity is sure to crawl in at it.

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za of some kind, and they came to Denver to secure capital to put up machinery at their mine for the reduction of their copper ore One of the men with whom they talked declared that it would not pay, there was not enough copper in five toos to pay for working one, but they could not see it. They had a thousand tons in sight, and figuring on a profit of two dollars to the ton they were certain of

tended a mile or two into the earth, and if they could get the machinery they would be willing to bet they "would make the thing hump day and night at such a speed as to get just a shaving on it, anyhow" Capitalists with whom they talked re-

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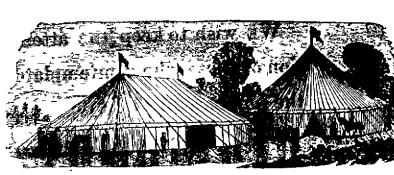
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